

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS
WESTERN DIVISION**

KIMBERLY KENNEY

PLAINTIFF

VS.

4:18-CV-00382-BRW

**ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT
OF HUMAN SERVICES, *ET AL.***

DEFENDANTS

ORDER

A district court has the authority to dismiss a case *sua sponte* for failure to state a claim.¹ Because Plaintiff's complaint is nonsensical and states no cause of action against Defendants for which relief may be granted, this case is DISMISSED. Plaintiff's motion for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* (Doc. No. 1) is DENIED as MOOT.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 6th day of June, 2018.

/s/ Billy Roy Wilson
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

¹See *Smith v. Boyd*, 945 F.2d 1041 (8th Cir. 1991).